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On a problem of Marco Buratti

Let $p = 2n + 1$ be a prime, let L be any list of $2n$ elements, each from the set $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$. Marco Buratti asked whether there exists a Hamiltonian path H in K_p with $V(K_p) = Z_p$ such that the set of edge-lengths of H comprises L . He conjectured that the answer is yes for every list L .

We present some initial ideas, approaches and results towards the complete solution of Buratti's conjecture. We also suggest an extension of Buratti's conjecture for the case when p is any natural number.